



SHERDLEY NEWSLETTER



'Growing Together, Respecting Each Other'

Friday 17th May 2019

Half Term Break - Please note the dates for the May half term. We finish on Thursday 23rd May and school is closed for a staff Inset Day on Friday 24th May. Half term is week commencing 27th May. School is again closed on Monday 3rd June for a staff Inset Day and school then restarts on Tuesday 4th June, at our normal times.

Parents' Evening - Thank you to everyone who was able to attend last week's Parents' Evenings; I hope that you found them useful and have a better understanding of how your child is doing in school.

Parental Questionnaire - Each year, in May, we ask parents to take a few minutes to complete our annual questionnaire. The school app has a direct link to the questionnaire, as does our Facebook and Twitter feeds. Paper copies are also available from the office.

Football Tournament - Well done to our school football team, they played brilliantly and represented the school well at last weekends Sutton Park Tournament.

Polling Day - On Thursday 23rd May our school will be used as a local polling station. School is OPEN as normal but please take extra care as cars will be coming in and out of the car park and there will be lots of members of the public on the school site.

Lost Property - we seem to have a large amount of lost property in the boxes in the entrance - if you have missing clothing please come and check the boxes.

Mr McCoy

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thur 23rd May

Last day of term & Polling Day

Fri 24th May

SCHOOL CLOSED for Inset Day

Mon 3rd June

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Tue 4th June

Term restarts

Wed 5th June

Soccer Aid Day

Thur 6th June

The Book Bus will be in school

Friday 7th June

1W Class Assembly, 2:30pm

w/c Mon 1st June

Y1 Phonics Screening Check

Fri 14th June

5L Class Assembly, 2:40pm

ATTENDANCE LEAGUE

week ending 3rd May, 2019

Position	Class	Percentage attendance
1st	4Ma	100%
2nd	2J	99.33%
2nd	1S	98.67%
4th	6F	98%
5th	2P	97.67%
6th	6E	96.90%
7th	3H	96.13%
8th	1W	95.67%
9th	3NC	93.67%
10th	RR	93.10%
11th	5L	93%
11th	5M	93%
13th	RB	91.72%
14th	4Mc	90%

ATTENDANCE LEAGUE

week ending 10th May, 2019

Position	Class	Percentage attendance
1st	6F	100%
2nd	6E	98.71%
3rd	4Ma	98.39%
4th	2J	98.33%
5th	RB	98.28%
6th	2P	97.92%
6th	3NC	97.92%
8th	1S	97.08%
9th	1W	96.85%
10th	3H	94.76%
11th	5L	93.75%
12th	RR	93.53%
13th	4Mc	88.75%
14th	5M	87.50%

Attendance and Punctuality Matters at Sherdley!

To improve further our school must: "Improve the attendance of a small minority of pupils who are persistently absent by making sure that they attend school on time and as regularly as other pupils nationally." **Ofsted, July 2017**

Overall school attendance is

95.34% ☹

Good attendance in Sherdley is above 96%.

You have a legal obligation to ensure that **your child** receives regular education, *which means ensuring they are in school unless they are too ill to attend and seeking and providing medical guidance if they are.*



Safeguarding Matters at Sherdley!

The overall care of the pupils at Sherdley, and their parents and carers, is a fundamental part of our work and specifically the Safeguarding element of our role.

We would remind everyone to be respectful of others in our school - it is a message that we are always discussing with the children and they are extremely proactive in identifying and speaking out against unfairness and rudeness when they witness or receive it.

We would ask that all of our parents and carers could promote the same values of tolerance, understanding and self-control when around our school site.

The values we promote and show to our children are the ones that will follow them through life.

We take the respect of everyone in Sherdley very seriously.

BLAST NEWS AND UPDATE

Blast is our breakfast and after-school club that is run by school, the club manager is Joanne Sherer and she can be contacted on her school mobile number - **07496 080115**.

If you are looking to use Blast now or in the future please complete a registration form, which is available from the office, Jo or on our website.

During the Easter break we ran a very successful Easter Holiday Club and we are now planning to run the club for 2-weeks in the summer holidays. The dates are: **12th - 16th August & 19th - 23rd August**. A letter with full details and costs will be sent home. The club can only run if we have enough bookings - please speak to Jo Sherer or the office for more details or a booking form.

PTA Events

We have a number of up and coming events that the PTA (Parent and Teachers Association) will be organising. If you can offer any help, please let the office or the PTA know.

The Easter Bingo was a huge success, so thank you for attending. The event raised just over £950 - well done.

This year the **Summer Fayre will take place on Friday 5th July, 3:30-5:30pm**. The PTA will need lots of help and support to run this event so please join us at the next meeting (to be confirmed) and offer your support.

The next PTA meeting will take place in school on Tuesday 11th June at 3:30.

Congratulations and 'Shout outs'

If your child has something to celebrate from outside of school, please let us know.

Well done to Ted B in Pre-school, he has achieved his Learn To Swim Level 1 badge and certificate - brilliant Ted, keep it up.

Please let us know if your child has received an award or certificate outside of school, this could include: swimming certificates, Man of The Match Awards, horse riding merits, sports trophies or dance certificates.

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Don't forget, as well as our Facebook page and website you can now follow us on Twitter—@sherdleyprimary

We also have a FREE 'app' linking to the school website, search for 'OurSchoolsApp' and download it for FREE.

